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1. The Chinese Communist Navy Training Corps (共軍海軍教導團) at Chefoo [REDACTED] the activation of which was ordered by the Sino-Soviet Naval Liaison Office in Port Arthur, commenced functioning 1 July 1947. Shore-based training is followed by sea duty instruction aboard gunboats which operate in the Po Hai between the ports of Chefoo, Lungk'ou (120-20, 37-40), Dairen and Port Arthur under the surveillance of Soviet naval vessels. At present 1,500 cadets are reported engaged in sea duty. [REDACTED] reported 500 cadets from the first class engaged in sea duty and 1,500 cadets in the entire Corps. 25X1A2g
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2. Soviet naval officer Yabonov [REDACTED], order to Chefoo from USSR Army Headquarters in P'yongyang (Heijo), Korea, is instructor in the operation of weapons ([REDACTED] ?light naval artillery used on coast guard patrol vessels such as Japanese small arms and machine guns? No Soviet weapons mentioned.).

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